This class provides an overview of emergency management. It teaches students skills that will help them prepare themselves, their families, and their community for natural and human made disasters. The class emphasis will be on active learning via role-playing assignments, communication planning, and personal preparedness plans.

**Perquisites:** HLED 5027 requires graduate standing. HLED 4027 requires HLED 3020 or Senior Standing or Permission of the Instructor.

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